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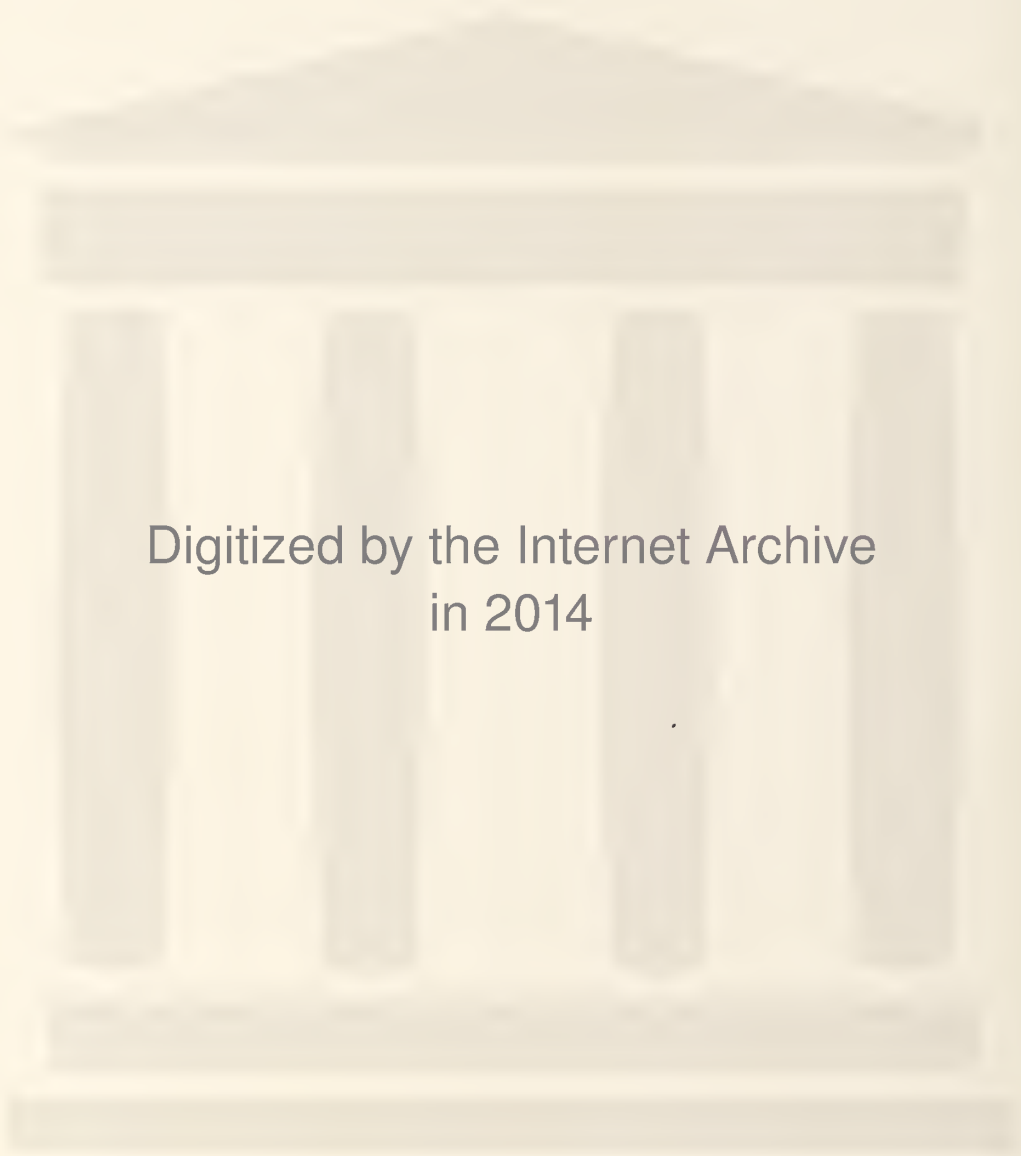

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MERCILITE

1977-78

I've Loved,

I've Laughed,

I've Cried,

Fun!

Play
Therapy!

Therapy!

Therapy!

Work Therapy

Instructors and Other VIPS

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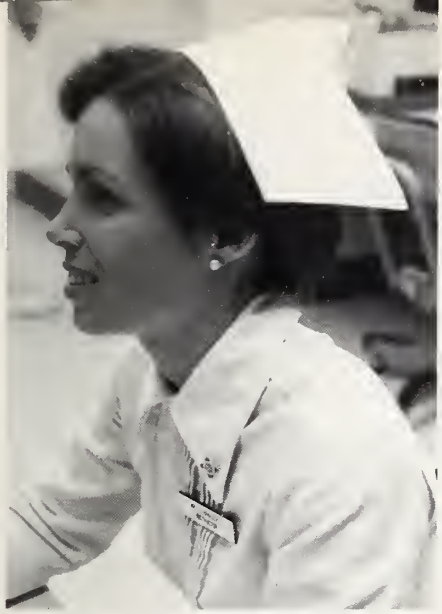

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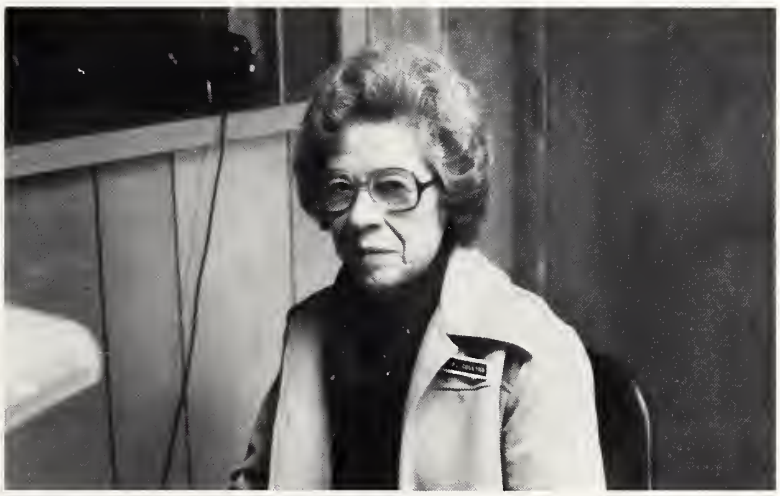

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to the
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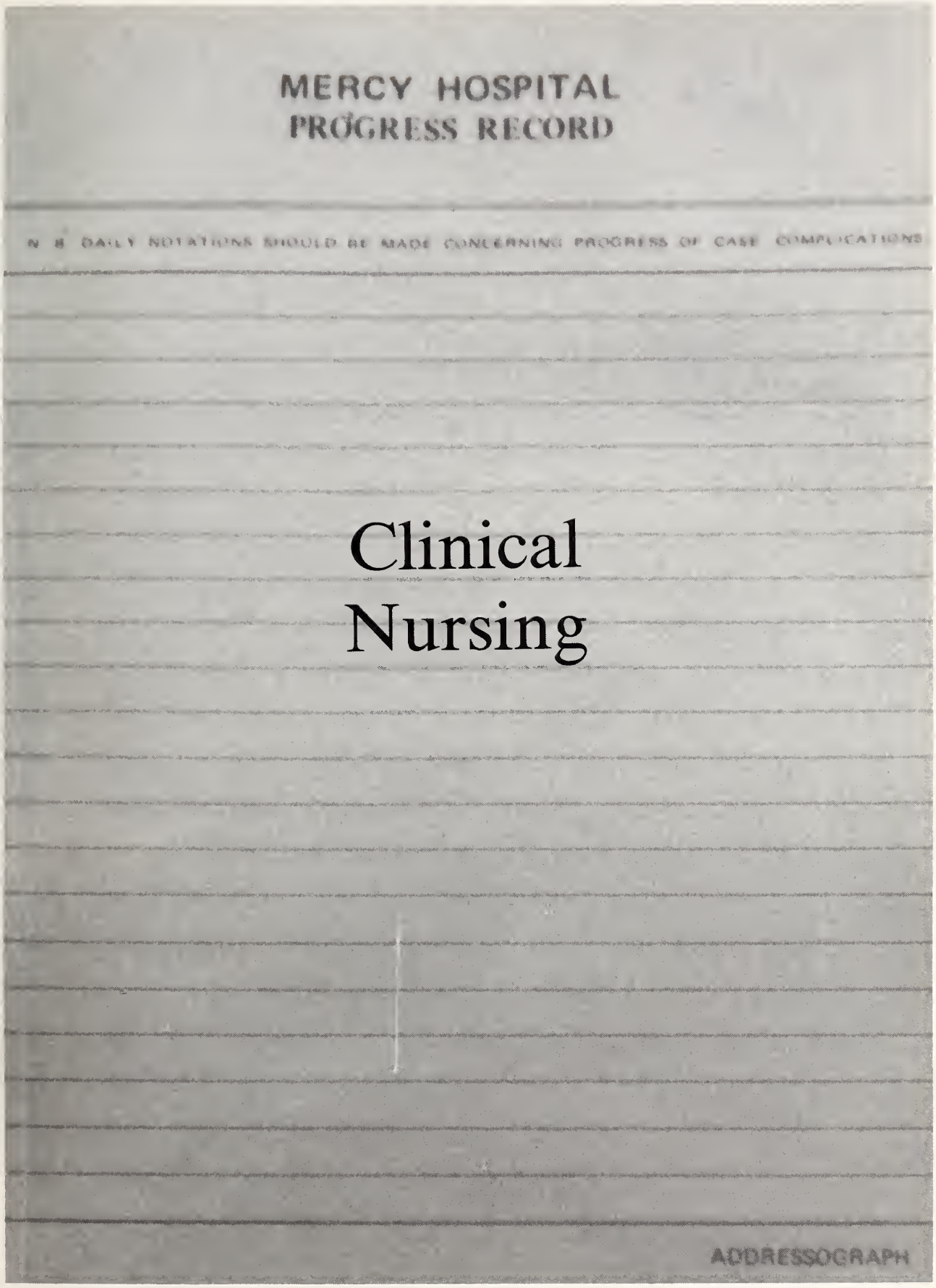
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PROGRESS RECORD
N B DAILY NOTATIONS SHOULD BE MADE CONCERNING PROGRESS OF CASE COMPLICATIONS
ADDRESSOGRAPH

Clinical Nursing

Medical-Surgical Nursing

Critical Care!

CCU!

E.R.!

ICU!

Labor!

Post-Partum!

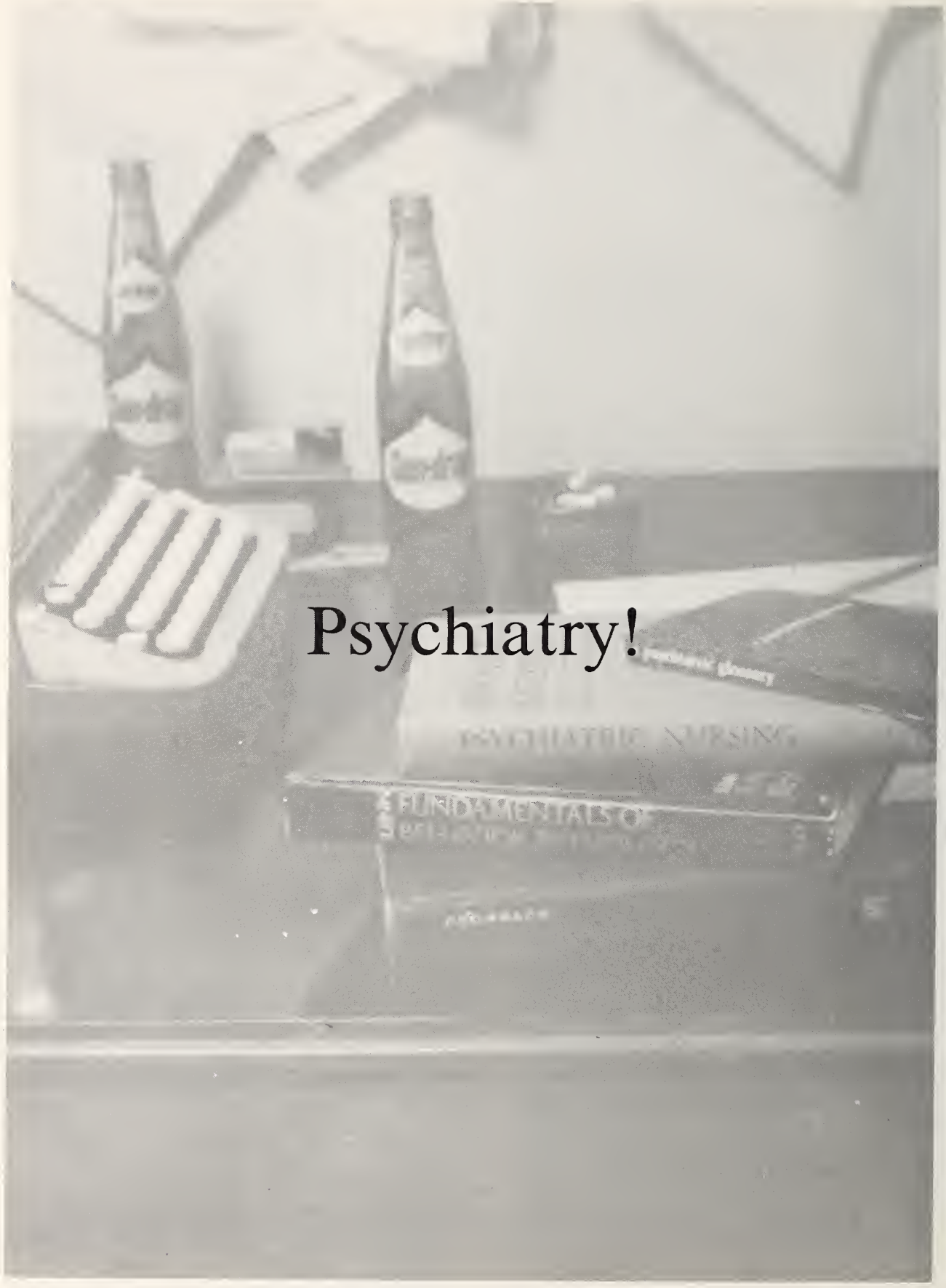
Obstetrical
Nursing

Delivery!

Pediatric Nursing

PICU!

Peds


Psychiatry!
PSYCHIATRIC NURSING

MERCY HOSPITAL, INC.
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DEPARTMENT OF NURSING SERVICE

NURSING ADMISSION DATA SHEET
MEDICAL-SURGICAL

Address-o-graph

MANNER OF ARRIVAL: Ambulatory____ Wheelchair_____ Stretcher_____ Time_____

Admission: T_____ P_____ R_____ BP_____ Wt_____ Ht_____

Time Physician Notified of Admission to Room_____

1. ORIENTATION - Check When Done

Introduce self_____ Introduce Patient to Other Patient(s)_____

Physical Layout-bathroom, waiting rooms and nursing station_____

Nurse Call System_____

Operation of the Bed_____

Hospital is Not Responsible for Personal Property_____

Televisions Brought from Home_____

Electrical Appliances_____

Visiting Regulations_____

Signing out When Leaving the Unit_____

Coffee Shop Permit_____

Activity Allowed_____

Check Arm Bracelet_____

CURRENT ILLNESS

2. Why have your been admitted to the hospital?

3. How long have you had this problem?

4. List medications, diets, or treatments carried out at home.	Reason

5. List medications, x-rays & equipment brought to the hospital.	Disposition of:

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Classes!

My Way

And now the end is near, I face the final curtain. My friends, I'll say it clear, I state my case of which I'm certain. I've lived a life that's full, I've traveled each and every byway, more, much more than this I did it my way.

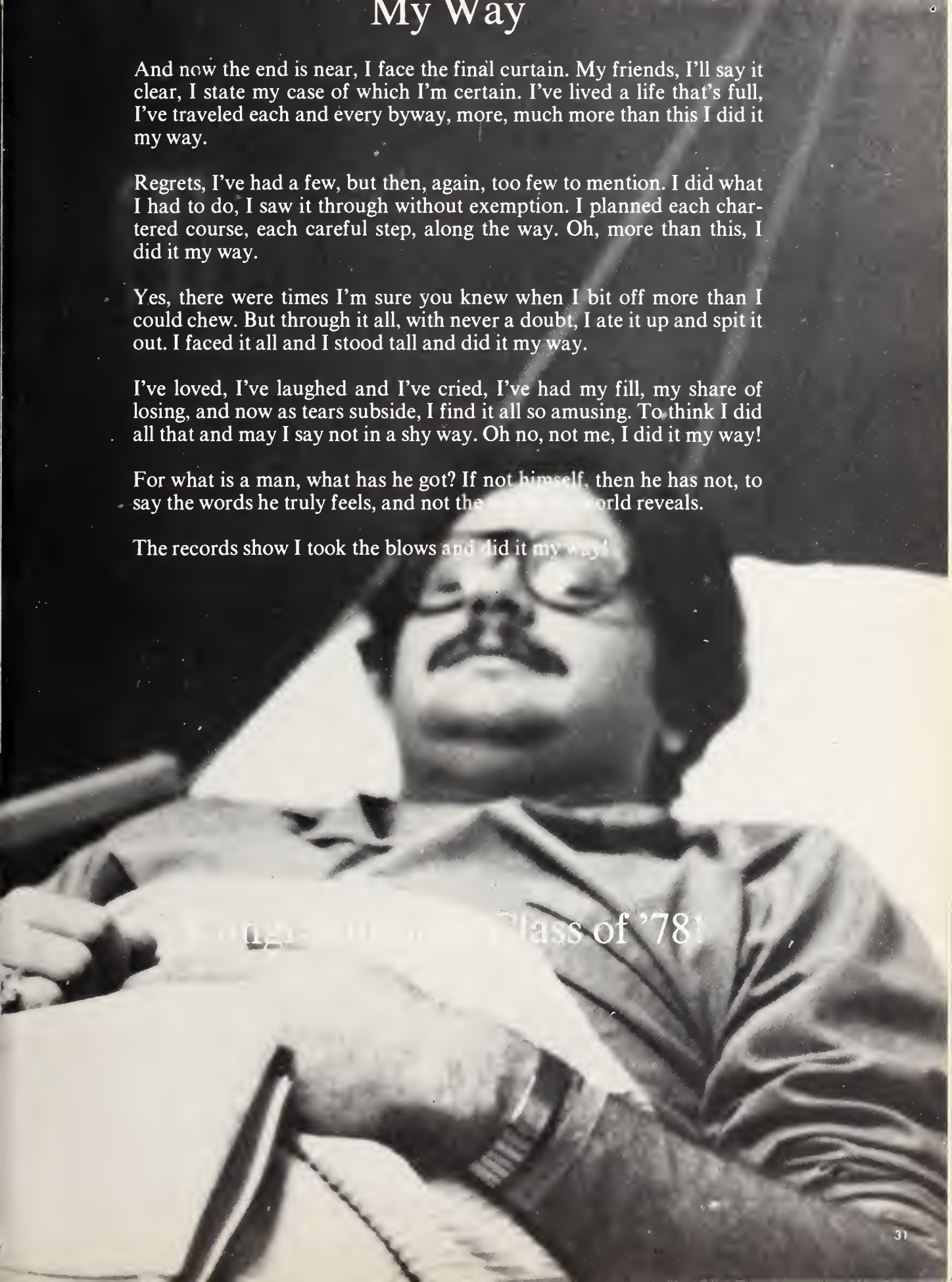
Regrets, I've had a few, but then, again, too few to mention. I did what I had to do, I saw it through without exemption. I planned each chartered course, each careful step, along the way. Oh, more than this, I did it my way.

Yes, there were times I'm sure you knew when I bit off more than I could chew. But through it all, with never a doubt, I ate it up and spit it out. I faced it all and I stood tall and did it my way.

I've loved, I've laughed and I've cried, I've had my fill, my share of losing, and now as tears subside, I find it all so amusing. To think I did all that and may I say not in a shy way. Oh no, not me, I did it my way!

For what is a man, what has he got? If not himself, then he has not, to say the words he truly feels, and not the [illegible] orld reveals.

The records show I took the blows and did it my way!



Micha Adams Autry

I walked a mile with Pleasure;
She chattered all the way.
But left me none the wiser
For all she had to say.

I walked a mile with Sorrow.
And ne'er a word said she;
But oh, the things I learned from her
When Sorrow walked with me!

Robert Browning Hamilton

Cynthia Lynn Bass

May the future flow like dawn before you
May the past be a source of understanding
And may you always live in the present moment.
Aware and awake to its possibilities.

Janet Beck

The best and most
beautiful things in the world
cannot be seen or even touched.
They must be felt with the heart.

Helen Keller

Deborah Elizabeth Caffey

Such a miracle of God's creation to say that angels envy the beauty of our women. Nicer than sunshine rays on a winter's morning but what a pity to find out and grow old. That every thing that glitters in this world. Well . . . it ain't gold.

Raymond Ceres Ceres

Grace Nadine Case

"Dream what you dare to dream,
Go where you want to go,
Be what you want to be —
LIVE!"

Debra Lynne Clark

Even if it's a little thing, do something for those who have need of help; something for which you get no pay but, the privilege of doing it!

Albert Schweitzer

Jean Adele Coates

Live as if you liked yourself and it may happen: reach out, keep reaching out, keep bringing in. This is how we are going to live for a long time: not always, for every gardener knows that after the digging, after the planting, after the long season of tending and growth, the harvest comes.

Mage Piercy

Deborah Kay Dalton

Lingering,
as the dying do between that life
just past and the still unknown. I
only know enough about myself as
yet to know,
that I don't know enough.

Rod McKuen

Kimberly Anne Deese

For yesterday is but a dream
And tomorrow is only a vision
But today well-lived makes every
Yesterday a dream of happiness
And every tomorrow a vision of
hope.

Melody Rorie Evans

The great essentials of life
are something to do, to love
and something to hope for.

Iona Lee Fox

"A man of words, and not of deeds, is like a garden full of weeds."
Plant your own seeds so, that you may know what is growing.

Patsy Adele Huffman

My favorite hobby is living
My favorite color is the rainbow
My favorite day is tomorrow
My favorite time is now
My favorite word is forever
My favorite sport is sharing
My favorite place is home
My favorite picture is a smile
My favorite fame is live
My favorite ending is happiness.

Cynthia Kaye Huffstetler

The individual is responsible for what happens in the future, no matter what has happened in the past — and as long as people are bound by the past, they are not free to respond to the needs and aspirations of others in the present.

Deborah Jane Johnson

There is no skill in easy sailing,
When the skies are clear and blue,
There's no joy in merely doing,
Things that anyone can do.
But there is great satisfaction
That is mighty sweet to take,
When you reach a destination
That you said you couldn't make.

Victoria Diane Linberger

If you think you'll lose, you're lost, for out in the world we find success begins with a fellow's will; it's all in the state of mind . . .

Life's battles don't always go to the stronger or the faster man, but sooner or later the man who wins is the man who thinks he can.

Emma Neil McLaurin

I expect to pass this way but once; any good therefore that I can do, or any kindness that I can show to any fellow creature, let me do it now. Let me not defer or neglect it, for I shall not pass this way again.

Etienne De Grellet

Catherine Marie Masotti

Giving and sharing are spontaneous expressions of joy.

Mary Burns Perry

Let me live in my house by the side of the road
Where the race of men go by —
They are good,, they are bad, they are weak,
They are strong, Wise, Foolish — so am I,
Then why should I sit in the scorner's seat.
Or hurl the cynic's ban? —
Let me live in my house by the side of the road,
And be a friend to man.

Sam Walter Foss

Therese Marie Ploussard

Don't be afraid to stand tall in the sunlight. To reach for your dream, your star. To love with open-heartedness. To look up the mountain and not be afraid to climb. To believe in the wonder of life, the miracle of creation, the power of loving, the beauty within yourself, and the dignity of the human being.

Karen Melinda Rankin

Something beautiful,
Something good
All my confusion, he understood
All I had to offer him was brokeness and strife
But he made something beautiful of my life.

Vivian Delores Rollins

You have to believe in happiness, or happiness never comes. I know that a bird chirps none less when all that he finds is crumbs. You have to believe the buds will grow, believe in the grass in the days of snow. You have to believe in happiness. It isn't an outward thing. The Spring never makes the song I guess, as much as the song the Spring. Many a heart could find content if it saw the joy on the road ahead. The joy ahead when it had to grieve — For the joy is there — but you have to believe.

Penelope Jane Rorie

You should be satisfied with who you are.
You are a child of the universe.
You are unique!
You have your own distinct personality,
You own individual life —
— and that's something no one else on earth has!

Bonnie Jean Rusher

The gentle loving looks — the softness of touching —
the awareness of having one so loved, so close.

In loving you I've found happiness —
In knowing you I've found a friend —

T. Tinsley

Sharon Kay Shanklin

We should be glad for distant things,
For beauty round the bend;
For highways that lead on and on
With never any end.
Be glad for goals just out of reach,
The challenge of a star.
The glory of a distant star,
That beckons from afar.
For hopes and dreams are built on
That enchanted distant mile
And far-off bright horizons
Make roads today worthwhile.

Helen Lowrie Marshall

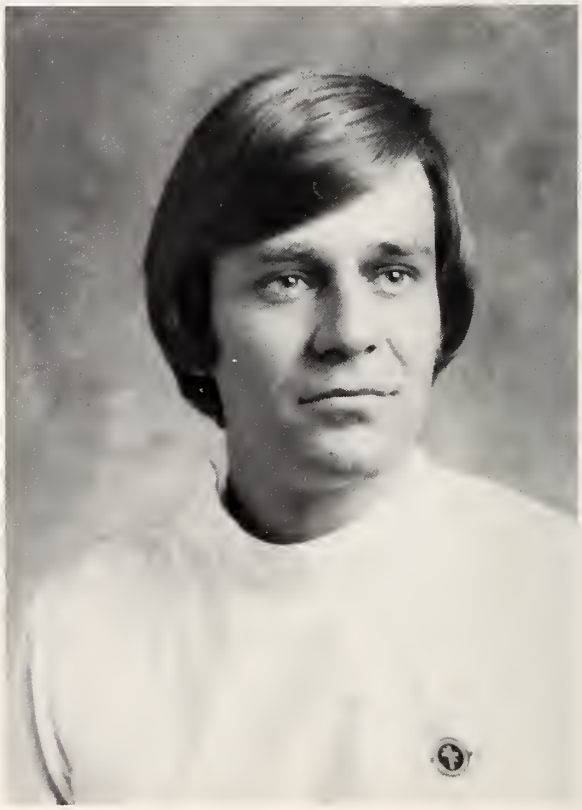
Beverly Lynn Simpson

What greater thing is there for two human souls than to feel that they are joined for life to strengthen each other in all labor, to rest on each other in all sorrow, to minister to each other in all pain, and to be with each other in silent, unspeakable memories . . .

George Eliot

Kenneth Micheal Stavrakas

When I sits, I sits loose,
When I works, I works hard,
But when I thinks I fall asleep.



Sheila Wilson Stowe

Together we live
Our lives are intertwined
With those about us
We have traveled together
Year by year
Day by day
Now we go separately
But never alone.

Nancy Carol Strawhorn

"When you reach the end of your rope;
tie a knot and *HANG* on."

Joseph Grayson Thompson

An agreeable person is one who agrees with me!

Anonymous

Melinda Meriwether Waggoner

Nobody ever added up the value of a smile, We know how much a dollar's worth, and how much is a mile; we know the distance to the sun, the size and weight of the earth — but no one's ever told us yet, how much a smile is worth!

Lynn Huffstetler Walden

I shall pass through this world but once.
Any good therefore, that I can do, or any kindness
that I can show to any human being, let me do it
now,
Let me not defer or neglect it, for I shall not pass this
way again.

Henry Drummond

Marsha Elaine Zupan

Don't walk in front of me I may not follow,
Don't walk behind me I may not lead,
Walk beside me — And just be my friend

Camus

Do You Remember . . .

. . . JOE'S LAUGH . . .

. . . BONNIE'S BABY? . . .

. . . TRYING TO LOOK BUSY . . .

. . . THOSE "VALUABLE" ROTATIONS . . .

. . . MAKING YOUR FIRST BED . . .

. . . STUDYING ALL NIGHT? . . .

. . . THE DISASTER . . .

. . . THE BEGINNING . . .

. . . SLEEPING IN THE CONFERENCE ROOM . . .

. . . GOING TO THE TREE HOUSE . . .

. . . LOOKING FOR SOMETHING THAT NEVER WAS THERE . . .

. . . THOSE "FAMOUS" T SHIRTS . . .

. . . WAITING FOR 3:15.

MOST ATHLETIC
Deb Johnson, Molly Perry

WITTIEST
Vivian Rollins, Debbie Dalton

BEST PERSONALITY
Vickie Lineberger, Penny Rorie

CUTEST
Lynn Walden, Cindy Huffsteter

MOST POPULAR
Sam Waggoner, Joe Thompson

BEST ALL AROUND
Shelia Stowe, Bonnie Rusher

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FRIENDLIEST
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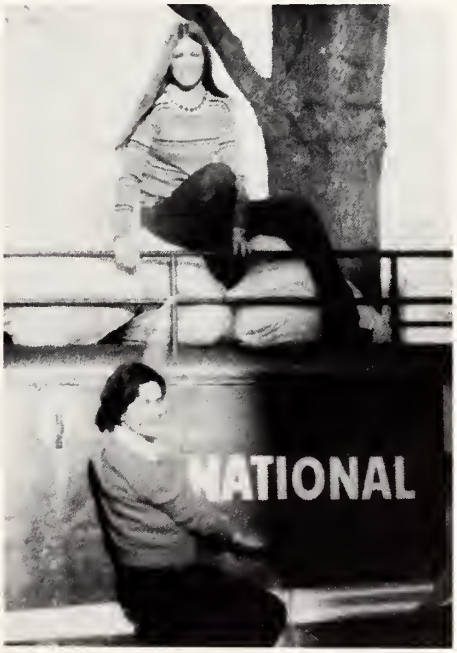

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Senior

QUIETEST
Micha Autry, Iona Fox

MOST LIKELY TO SNOOZE
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MOST REPRESENTATIVE
Marsha Zupan, Terri Ploussard

MOST LIKELY TO SUCCEED
Janet Beck, Debra Clark

Superlatives

BEST DRESS
Emma Neil McLauin, Melinda Rankin

MOST OUTGOING
Cathy Masotti, Debra Caffey

BEST NURSE
Kim Deese, Melody Evans

MOST VERSATILE
Nancy Strawhorn, Cindy Bass, Grace Case

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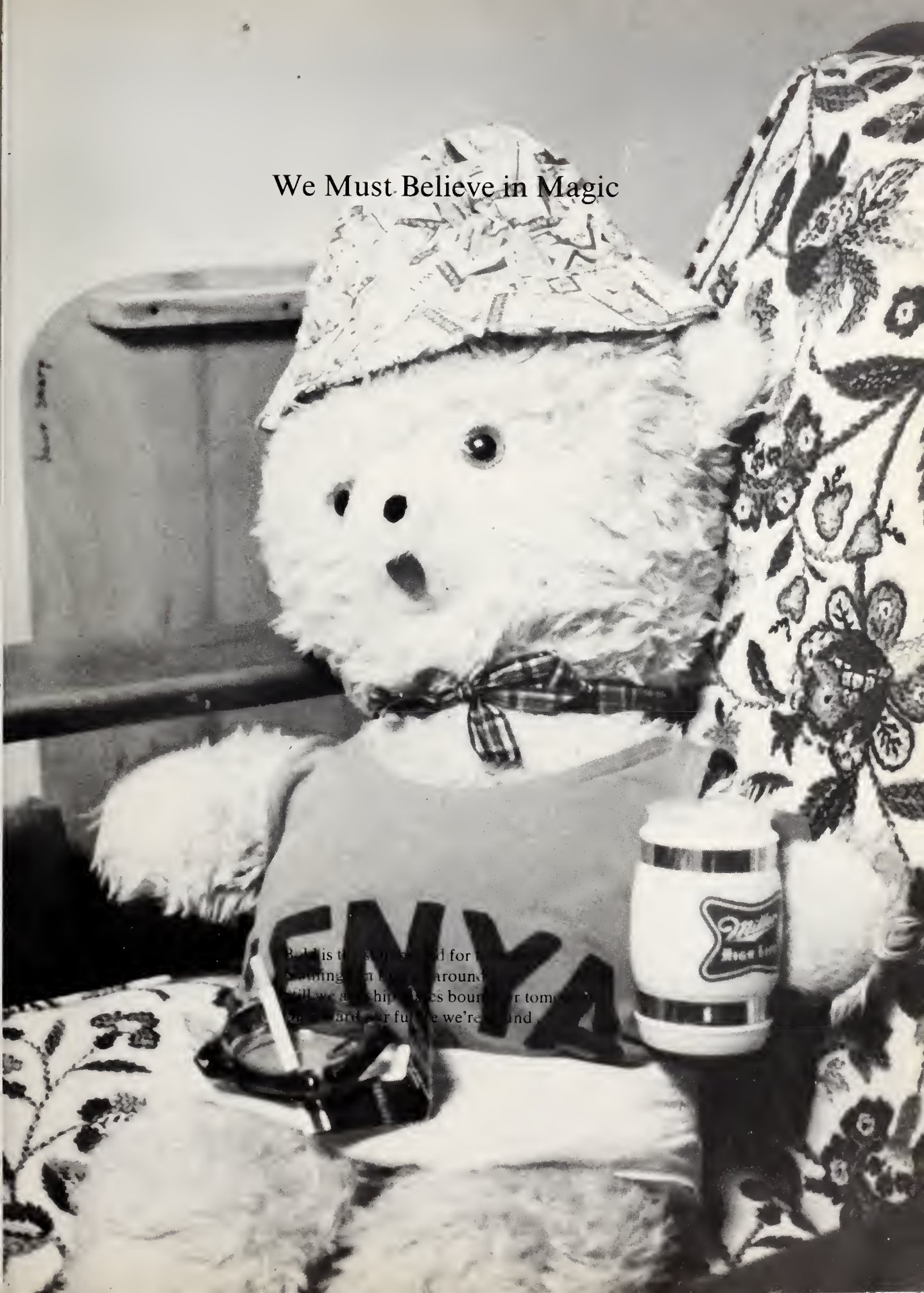

Debbie Banks

Dorothy Cadieu

Donna Caldwell

We Must Be Out of Our Minds

Linda Charnock

Janice Coates

Patrica Evans

Helen Hawkins

Nancy Lagatore

Anna McLeod

Still We Believe in Magic

Lou Melvin

Terri Riddle

Sue Shelton

Barbara Shore

Connie Spielman

If You Believe in Magic, You Have the Universe at Your Command

Donna White

Not Pictured:
Sherry Bagale
Mary Lou Goings
Deborah Payne
Skip Sullivan

Theresa Zeman

Instructions: Circle the words indicated. All of which pertain to Nursing.

E V A L U A T I O N S A C O D N G E N O O
Y E L O F M B O L D M E A L B O O K S J T
I E O G B N S D I O R P N U T D L E I O I
C K L F C R G D A R D M T L O N O H W S P
E J H D J Q A T L M I C R O B I O L O G Y
S C A R D I A C U M G H A L O B A C T R P
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Junior

Curfew
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Rational
Objectives
BMR
Seniors

To the Class of '79, from the Class of '78:

Meet the standards, make the goal, and push forward;
Never look back with regret lest you stumble.
Always look ahead with vision of past in mind,
For failures are but blocks with which to build;
And goals attained are but beginnings for new tomorrows,
Climb for the peak but never stand there too long.
Always put forth only your best and maybe at the end,
You can say, "I have fought a good fight,
I have finished the course, and I have kept the faith."

Judy Williams

Making Our Dreams Come True

Give us any chance we'll take it.
Read us any rule we'll break it.
We're going to make our dreams come true . . .
"Doing it our way."

Lynnette Bowden

Tamerha Boyles

Cynthia Clontz

Never Heard the Word Impossible

Donna DiPietro

Carolyn Edgar

Wanda Evans

Julia Griffin

Kim Grissom

Bonnie Grubb

Nothing Is Going to Turn Us Back Now

Kathy Harwood

Wanda Hinson

Melissa Hoke

Mary Keane

Vicky Lambert

Yolanda Loflen

Read Us Any Rule We'll Break It

Dulan Mills

Martha Miranda

Janet Morrison

Beverly Plummer

Betsy Reid

We're Going to Make It

Jane Sharp

Tonia Stevenson

Denise Talbert

Lisa Turbeville

Joan Whitener

Sherri Williams

Our Way — Yes Our Way!!!

Not Pictured:
Jan Baldwin
Mary Coombes
Sara Draper
Diane King
Sunny McCurdy
Br. Jan Northcott
Anna Quinn
Deborah Russell
Beth Simpson
Rhonda Stinson
Steven Waugh

MULTIPLE GUESS

1. How tall is a nurse?
   a. True
   b. False
   c. Both
   d. Maybe

2. Which letter is spelled correctly?
   a. A
   b. B
   c. C
   d. D

3. How many eyes do you have?
   a. 1
   b. 3
   c. 4
   d. 6

4. When was the war of 1812?
   a. When Sara Gamp met Mr. Clean.
   b. When Florence Nightengale went to the health department.
   c. When the staff of 75 only had one breakfast tray.
   d. When the alarm clock goes off.

5. Ex-Lax causes?
   a. A chance to catch up on the news.
   b. Constipation.
   c. Impotence
   d. Babies

6. Joe Willie is?
   a. A car
   b. A cannon
   c. A spy
   d. Alive, well, and living in Charlotte.

7. What color is a nursing uniform?
   a. flamingo pink
   b. midnight blue
   c. evergreen
   d. meconium stained

8. Love is . . .
   a. not having to work on Sundays
   b. when the cracker machine works
   c. getting mail
   d. tall, dark, handsome, and available

9. What is your love life like?
   a. hardly
   b. never
   c. on weekends or weekdays
   d. all or none of the above

10. Why?
    a. I don't know
    b. hormones
    c. Because we love you
    d. it really doesn't matter
    e. autoimmune

11. Where do babies come from?
    a. Mrs. Johnson
    b. The Vlassic pickle stork
    c. ask your mother
    d. ask the boy next door

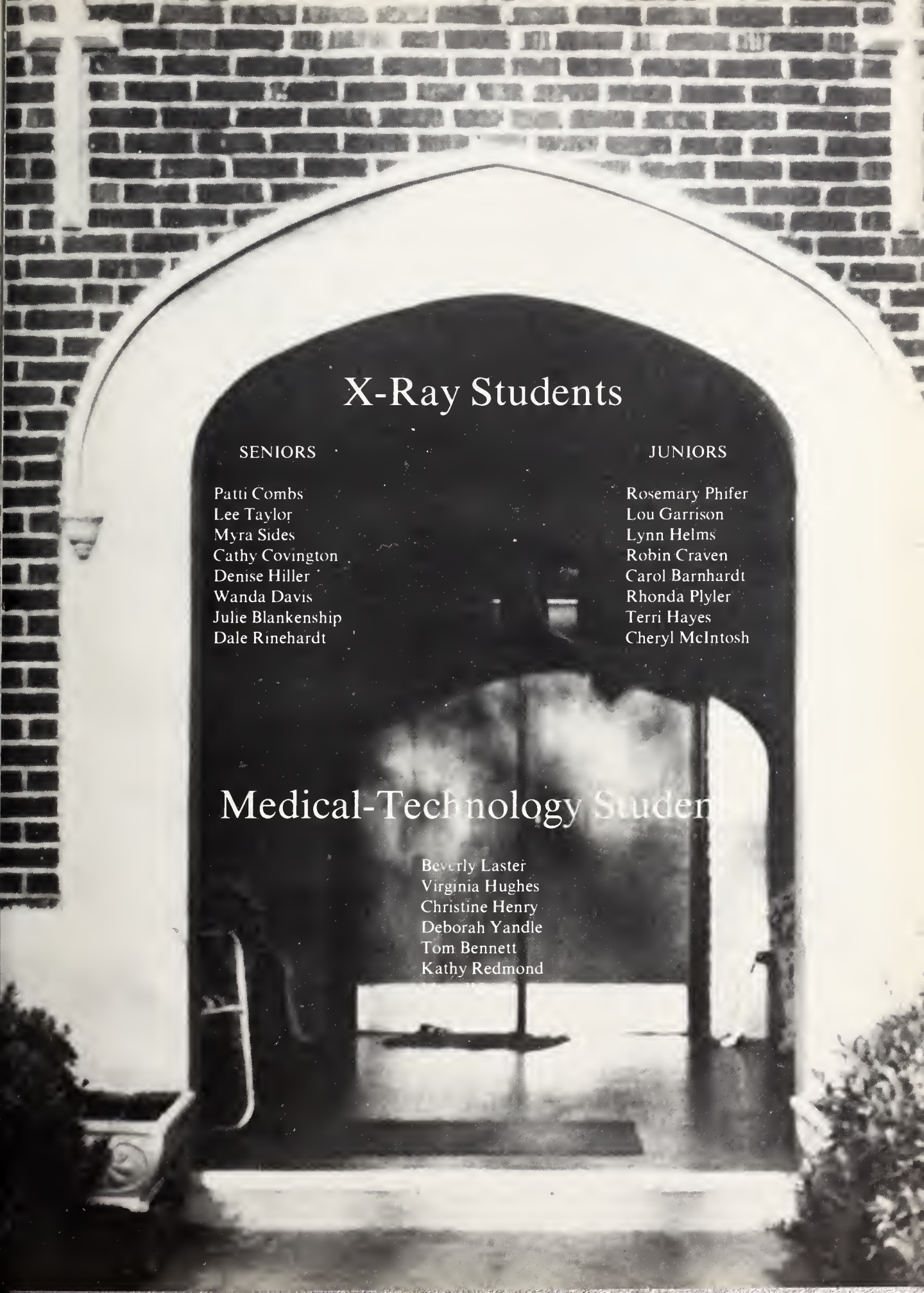
12. To know me is to . . .
    a. take my rectal temp
    b. barf
    c. who am I?
    d. check my armband

13. What egg had a hard time rolling?

14. What peacock likes to sit on ladders?

15. What are the signs and symptoms of Mercy Syndrome, and discuss?

*Footnote
Life At Mercy



X-Ray Students

SENIORS

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Myra Sides
Cathy Covington
Denise Hiller
Wanda Davis
Julie Blankenship
Dale Rinehardt

JUNIORS

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Lou Garrison
Lynn Helms
Robin Craven
Carol Barnhardt
Rhonda Plyler
Terri Hayes
Cheryl McIntosh

Medical-Technology Studen

Beverly Laster
Virginia Hughes
Christine Henry
Deborah Yandle
Tom Bennett
Kathy Redmond

In Loving
Honor of . . .
Miss Vi
"Our Mo

WE
ALL
LEARNED
THAT . . .

HER
BITE
WAS
WORSE . . .

THAN
HER
BITE!!!

Recreational Therapy

MERCY HOSPITAL, INC.
Charlotte, N. C.

PHYSICIAN'S ORDER FORM

TIME _____ DATE _____

DO NOT WRITE IN THIS SPA

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Treatments

Lawrence Welk's back-up?

You don't mess with Mother Goose!

Most likely to succeed?

Don't look now you're on Candid Hat!

Oh no not those students again!

Did I hear you say shock the patient?

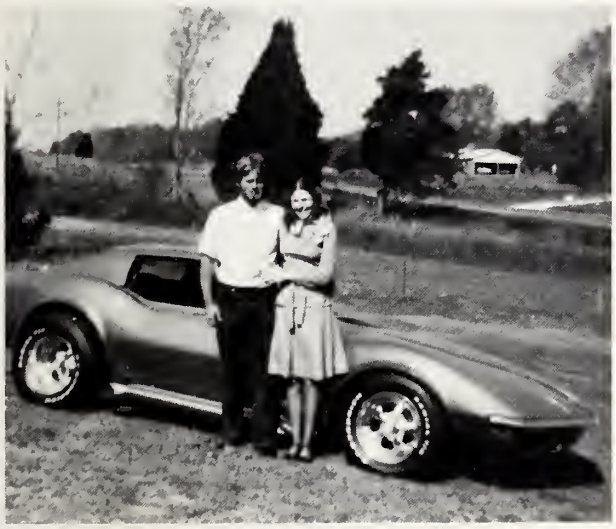
How many fingers do you see? Guess again.

Thank goodness it's Friday!

It seems I've aged overnight!

Did I hear someone say cheese?

Nurses Are Love Made Visible



Penny and Ward

Lynn and Wally

Vicki and Terry

Shelia and Scott

Adele and Walt

Marsha and Tony

Click and Lloyd

Emma-Neil and Skip

Bonnie and Tony

Melinda and Randy

Tony and Joe?

Last Will and Testament

I, Cindy Huffstetler, hereby leave my two campused weekends in the Mercy Dorm to anyone who is smart enough to stay out after hours however dumb enough to sleep while doing so.

I, Penny Rorie being of unsound mind and body hereby bequeath my pre-engagement ring to anybody who has the ability to remain pre-engaged for as long as I have, my long, *curly* hair to Mrs. A. Johnson, and last, but certainly not least my no parking space to Mrs. J. Good-by Mercy!

I, Cathy Masotti, being of hot blooded Catholic WHOP hereby leave to Theresa Zeman my ability to occupy the seat in Mrs. Nance's office and to absorb her words of wisdom, with the understanding that this seat is not to be left unoccupied nor without the last word.

I, Jean Coats, leave to Janice Coates all the good luck I've had at Mercy — Poor kid.

I, Sheila Stowe, being of dilapidated mind and body, do hereby leave my leaky toilet and all those weekends of forgetting to sign out to Helen Hawkins, the good times in O.B. and the broken cracker machine to the rising Seniors.

I, Bonnie Rusher, hereby leave my chaotic days on the clinical unit and my long engagement to anyone with enough stamina to endure their conquest and enjoy the fruits of their labor. I leave my ability to open mouth and insert foot to anyone that practices this religiously.

I, Sam Waggoner, having two functioning brain cells left — working on alternate days, hereby leave my collection of hats to anyone who can help me remember where I found them or who has the guts to wear them. And leave my athletic ability for jumping off walls and over coffee tables to anyone who has Blue Cross Blue Shield you will need it!!!

I, Debbie Dalton, being of a half way sound mind and a weary body leave, my Honda shirt to anyone who knows what it means in Japanese, my ability to do the Tango with IV tubing to anyone who loves the agony of defeat and the joy of victory, and last but not least I leave the title of "Carrot Top" to anyone who has naturally red hair. Eat your heart out, Evans.

I, Lynn Simpson, being of cachetic mind and bed, hereby bequeath my two toes in 302, to whomever follows in my footsteps, my patience to 7-South, my monkey to Lou Melvin and "Tosh" to no one.

I, Melinda Rankin, being of sound mind and body do hereby bequeath my drug cards to Lynnette, my ability and patience to produce a passing CHF paper to Beverly, my no parking space to Lisa, and last but not least — to the proctor on second floor — Good Luck!

I, Click Clark, not really sure if I am in sound mind or body, leave advice to anyone who thinks they can change things, "One" person can't work miracles. I leave to my children, Jane, Diane, Mary, Rhonda, Joan and Kathy, the ability to maintain hope. I promise them they can made it through here no matter how bad it gets. To my critics, I hope they will take a look at themselves. To Penny, I leave my lace tablecloth, she knows what to do with it. To Bill, I leave one night of back rubs. To Mrs. Nance, I leave all my busy work. To the students, I leave a prayer.

I, Janet Beck, do hereby declare that I have exhausted all of my resources in the past three years and therefore have nothing left. My last will and testament shall read "No Comment."

I, Vickie Lineberger, being of weary mind and tired body, do hereby leave my large room to Lou Melvin and Mercy School of Nursing to anyone.

I, Sharon Shanklin, leave Mary Keane the ability to get away with spending every night away from the dorm.

I, Cyndy Bass, leave Lou Melvin the responsibility of teaching the Freshmen how to wear their nurse's caps.

I, Nancy Strawhorn, leave to Janice Coates my dish towels and detergent, and the ability to wash dishes.

I, Emma Neil McLaurin, of complicated name, do leave my ability to build up a library fine and parking tickets to anyone who can pay them, leave my once flooded room to anyone with snickers, my ability to cut hair to anyone with sharp scissors, my ability to keep a secret to a good gossiper, my admiration of a special instructor and doctor to anyone who can guess them, and certainly but not least I do hereby will, on this February day, 1978, in the year of our Lord, the joys, frustrations, longings, and sadness along with the great experiences of being a Senior to my beloved . . . Skip!

I, Molly Perry, leave all my leftover knowledge, what little bit is left, to Janice Coates. May she watch over this place and keep it in line when I am gone. I leave my fantastic room to the lucky person whoever they may be.

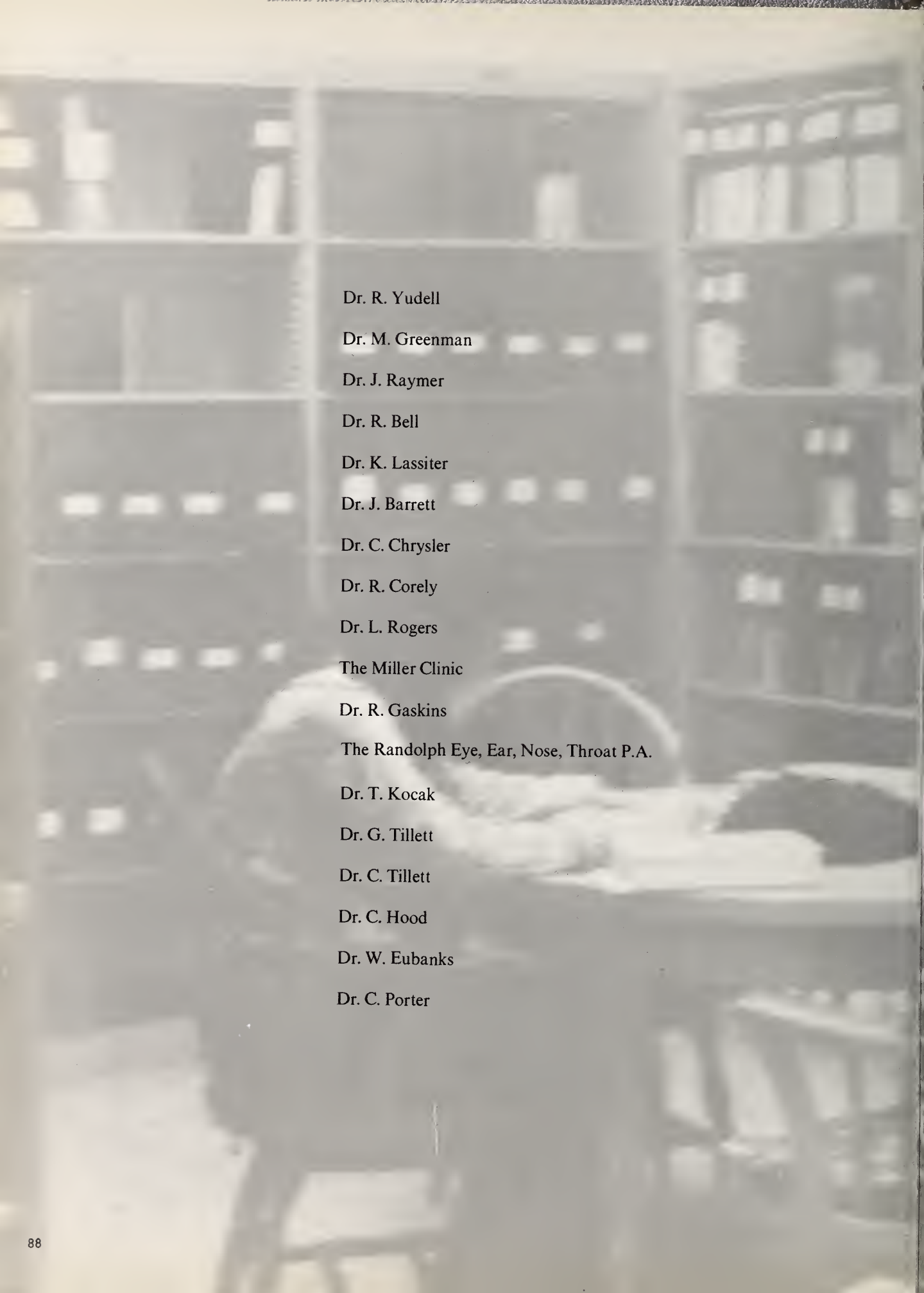
I, Marsha Hestikind Zupan, do hereby leave my "superb" ability to take notes in class to the Juniors and Freshmen, my ability to collect junk, my ability to spread myself too thin, my ability to somehow edit an annual to next year's lucky editor. I also leave hopes of good tomorrows for everyone.

We, the Seniors who forgot, being of sound mind and body, do hereby leave the rising Senior's our sound mind and bodies, so you will not forget?

A Class Prophecy

On June 9, 1988, Mrs. CLICK BARINGER hosted a 10th year reunion dinner-dance, in honor of the Class of '78. Among those attending were, MRS. MICHA AUTRY. Micha has had little time for nursing, being quite busy with her family of eight. MRS. CYNDY BASS MELVIN, is now residing in Clemson, South Carolina, with her husband and her two "toe-headed" sons. The former JANET BECK is now Director of Nursing at Hamlet Memorial Hospital. MRS. DEBORAH CAFFEY CERECERES has recently left a position as Head Nurse in Psychiatry to devote more time to her dancing. MRS. GRACE CASE spends much of her time giving lectures to Women's Clubs on Poison Control. The former JEAN COATES now resides in California with her husband and fourteen children. MS. DEBBIE DALTON is now planning to marry a Colonel in the U.S. Army next month. She will be resigning from her position at Wesley Nursing Home. The former KIM DEESE, has resigned her position at Mercy Hospital's ICU, to repair and rebuild automobiles. MRS. MELODY EVANS has now extended her family to four and is protraying the role of mother and housewife. MRS. PENNY RORIE WARD is now married and managing her "barefoot" children. MS. IONA FOX is now Director of Nursing Education at Duke University. MRS. MARSHA HESTIKIND ZUPAN is running her own nursery at home. The former MS. ADELE HUFFMAN is an international model, forsaking her nursing and taken up with the J.E.T. set. The former CINDY HUFFSTETLER is now teaching midwifery. MRS. DEB JOHNSON BRENT has given up nursing and is now a professional Basketball player. MRS. VICKIE LINEBERGER TERRY is now a staff nurse here at Mercy and raising a prosperous family. MRS. EMMA NEIL McLAURIN SKIP has done an excellent job in CCU at John Hopkins. The former MS. CATHY MASOTTI is a well-known politician's wife and is very active in Civic affairs. The former MS. MOLLY PERRY is now married and working with her father in his clinic. The former MS. TERRI PLOUSSARD has taken Ms. Lord's place at Presbyterian as Head Nurse of newborn nursery. The former MS. MELINDA RANKIN is still happily married and working on a new addition to her family. The former MS. VIVIAN ROLLINS and her family have just returned from a European tour. MRS. BONNIE RUSHER TONY has done an excellent job with the Public Health Department. The former MS. SHARON SHANKLIN is now a nurse in the office of Dr. P.H.E. MRS. LYNN SIMPSON WALLY is a staff nurse at Monroe. MR. BUDDY STRAVRAKAS is now a Chief Anesthetist. MRS. SHEILA STOWE SCOTT is still working on her Master's at UNCC. The former MS. NANCY STRAWHORN has become a well-known writer of Pediatric textbooks. MR. JOE THOMPSON is now the proud father of two "little Joe's." The former MS. SAM WAGGONER is now working on her Ph.D. in Psychiatry. MRS. LYNN WALDEN is now instructing students in Post-Partal care.

The celebration was a huge success and it was rewarding to see the "guys and gals" from the Class of '78. Plans were made for a twentieth year reunion, God willing!



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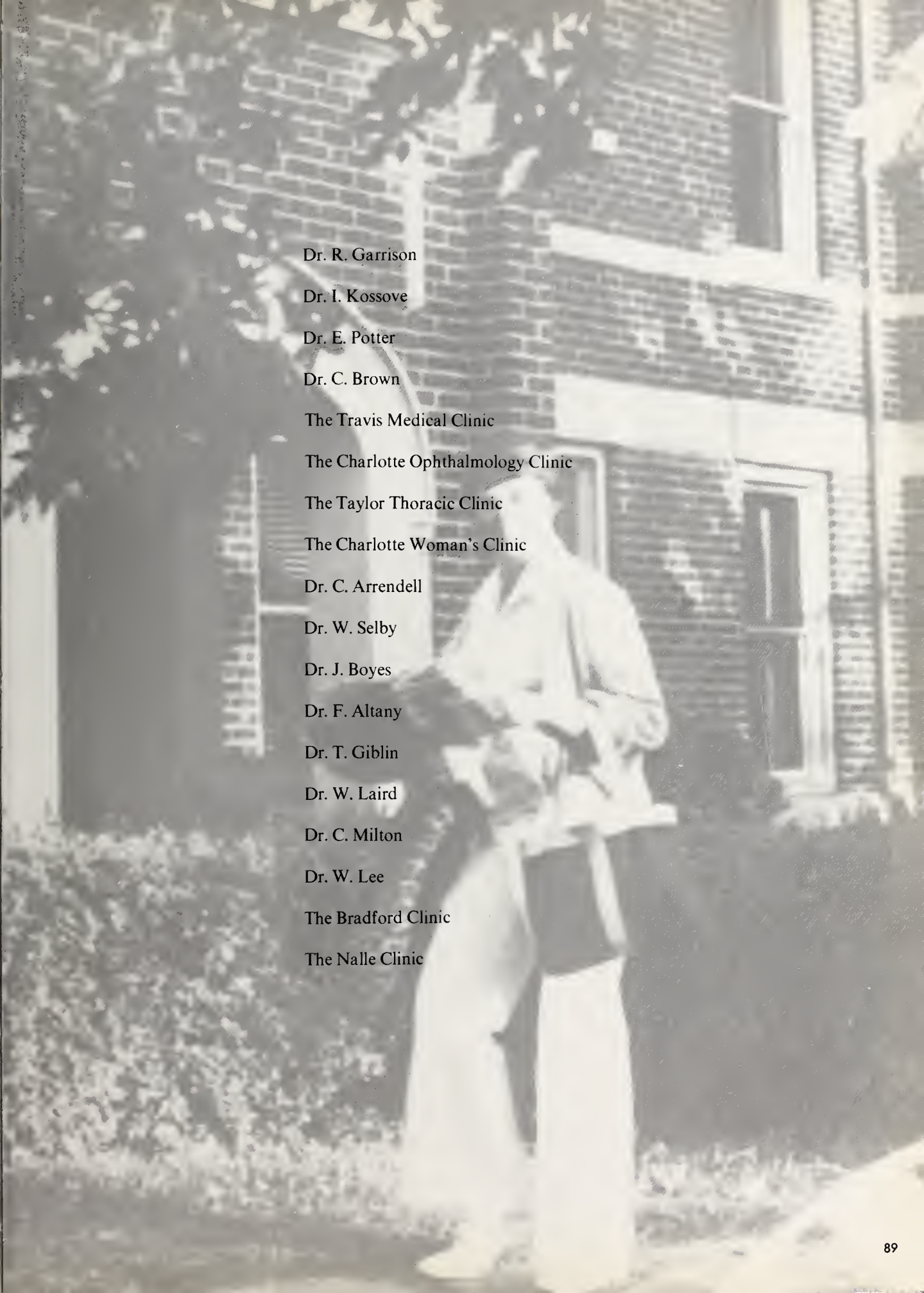

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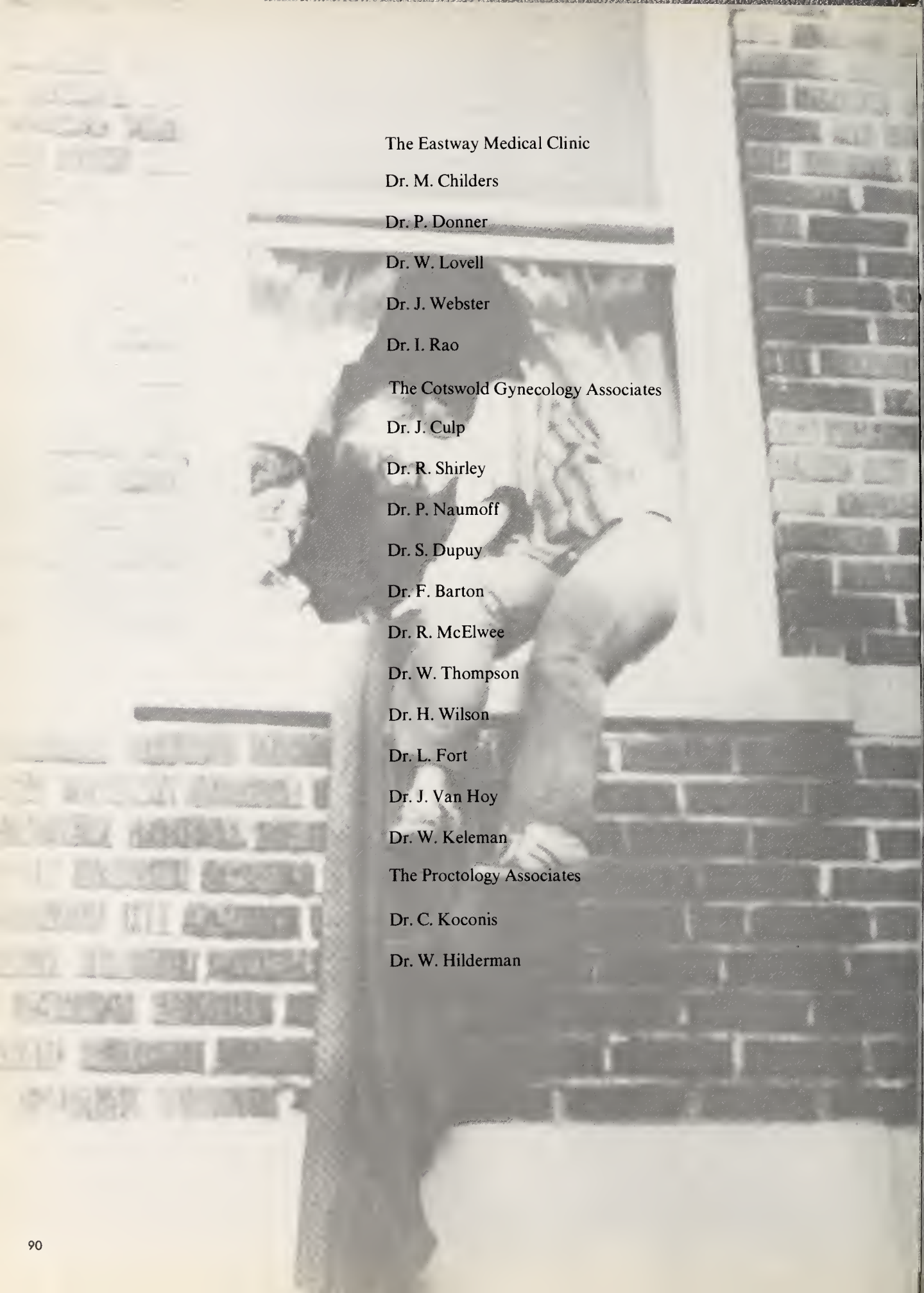

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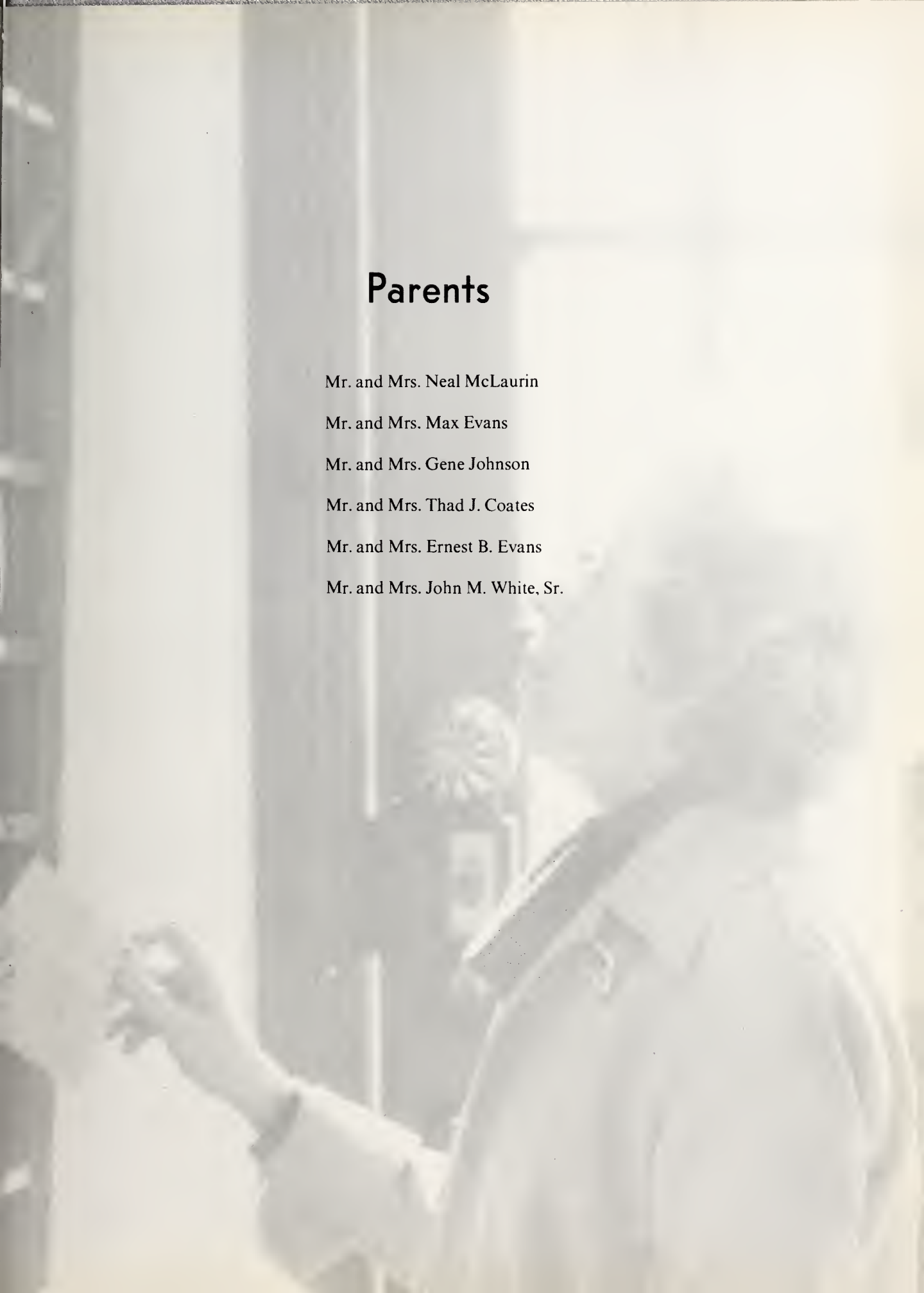

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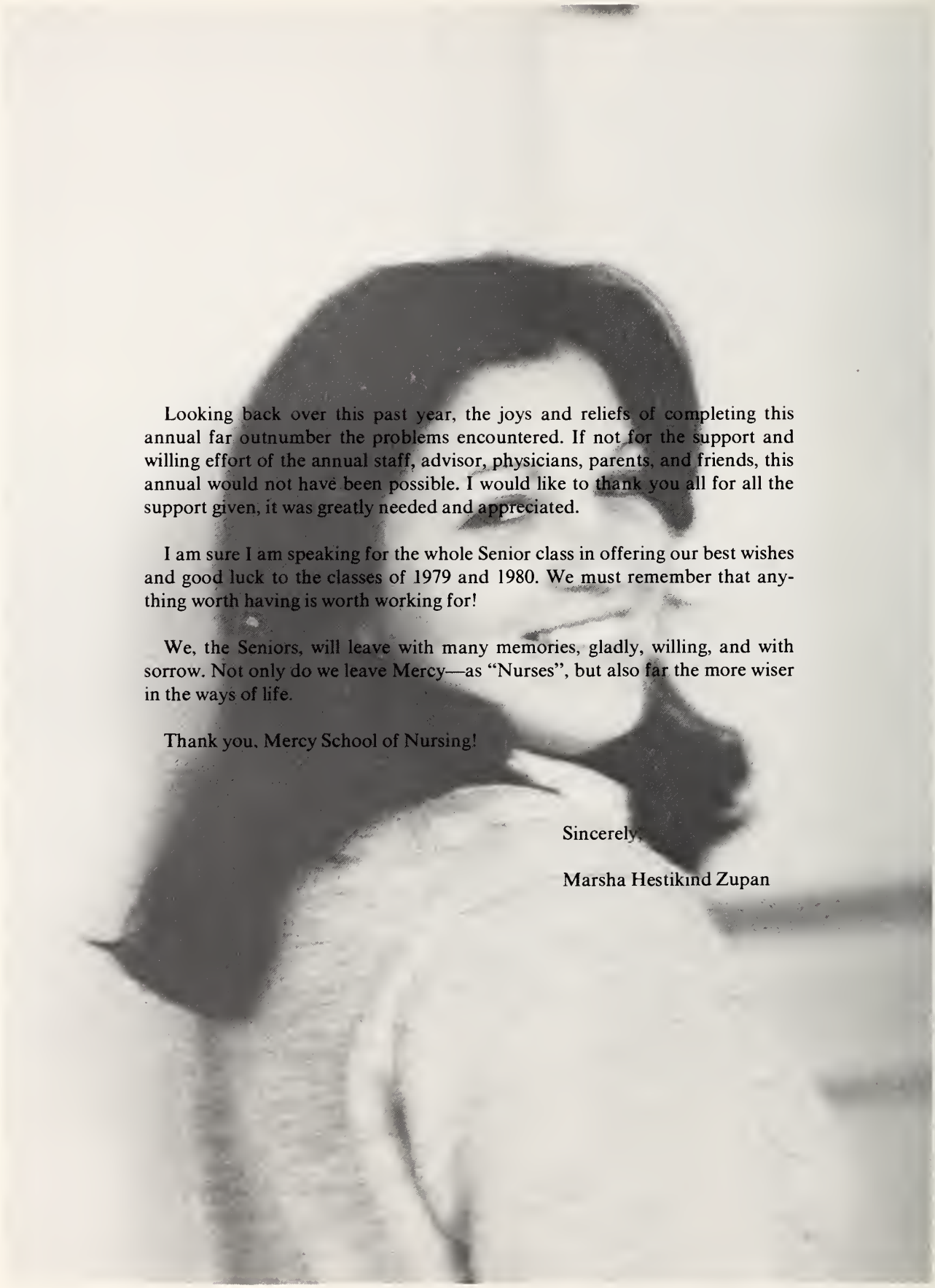

Looking back over this past year, the joys and reliefs of completing this annual far outnumber the problems encountered. If not for the support and willing effort of the annual staff, advisor, physicians, parents, and friends, this annual would not have been possible. I would like to thank you all for all the support given, it was greatly needed and appreciated.

I am sure I am speaking for the whole Senior class in offering our best wishes and good luck to the classes of 1979 and 1980. We must remember that anything worth having is worth working for!

We, the Seniors, will leave with many memories, gladly, willing, and with sorrow. Not only do we leave Mercy—as "Nurses", but also far the more wiser in the ways of life.

Thank you, Mercy School of Nursing!

Sincerely,

Marsha Hestikind Zupan

Remember Camp Thunderbird?

WHAT IS A SENIOR NURSE?

Between the innocence of an entrance exam and an R.N. comes a loveable creature called a Senior Nurse.

They come in assorted sizes, heights, and shapes, but they have the same creed; to enjoy every second of every day off duty.

Senior Nurses are found everywhere: underneath, jumping, from, swimming to, and running through.

Patients love them, the R.N.'s boss them, orderlies ignore them, doctors tolerate them, and Heaven protects them.

A Senior Nurse is truth with blood on her uniform, beauty with gloves on her hands, wisdom with penicillin in her hair, and the future with a newborn baby in her hands.

To doctors, a Senior Nurse is an inconsiderate, questioning, and intruding bundle of noise. When you want her to make a good impression, she becomes a giggling creature, bent on wasting as much time as possible and sleeping through class.

A Senior Nurse has the appetite of a horse, the digestion of a disposal unit, the energy of a soapsuds enema, the lungs of a switchboard operator, and the imagination of a Vanderbilt Graduate, the enthusiasm of Central Supply, the sharpness of a scapel, the audacity of a Nurse's Aide, and when she gives pills she has five thumbs on each hand. She likes food, vacation, and Christmas. You can put her on study hours, but you cannot make her study. She is your aide, your maid, your porter, your friend.

She is a freckled face, pint-sized, funloving bundle of noise. But when she gets off duty with her tired feet and aching back, she has a funny way of dropping off into bed and saying "Good Night," but not without those famous last words, "Check on me in the A.M."

Anonymous

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